SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Thursday, March 4, 2021

TIME: 4:00 PM

PLACE: Virtual Meeting via WebEx

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

Senate Resolution No. 49

BY Bell, Mack, Anderson, Calkin, Valverde

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE RHODE ISLAND STATE AUDITOR GENERAL TO CONDUCT OR OVERSEE A STUDY OR AUDIT ON THE PRIVATIZATION OF RHODE ISLAND'S MEDICAID PROGRAMS {LC486/1} 01/19/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services 02/25/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Resolution No. 109

BY Calkin, Mendes, Anderson, Mack, Bell, Quezada

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO PASS LEGISLATION ESTABLISHING AN IMPROVED "MEDICARE FOR ALL" SINGLE PAYER PROGRAM THAT WOULD PROVIDE UNIVERSAL, COMPREHENSIVE AND AFFORDABLE HEALTH CARE {LC485/1}

01/26/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

02/25/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Resolution No. 230

BY Mendes, Acosta, Calkin, Mack, Bell, Kallman, Cano, Anderson, Quezada, Valverde ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY AND ASSESS THE IMPLEMENTATION OF MEDICARE-FOR-ALL SINGLE PAYER PROGRAM IN RHODE ISLAND {LC1012/1}

02/10/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

02/25/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. 231

BY Goldin, Valverde, DiMario, Bell, Calkin, Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- HEALTH CARE FOR CHILDREN AND PREGNANT WOMEN {LC749/1} (Allows pregnant women with an annual family income above the applicable Medicaid income limit to be eligible to purchase health insurance through one of the Medicaid managed care plans.)

02/10/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

02/25/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. 233

BY Bell, Calkin, Mack, Anderson, Goldin, Quezada, Lawson, Mendes, Acosta, DiMario ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM {LC594/1} (Establishes a universal, comprehensive, affordable single-payer health care insurance program which shall be referred to as, "the Rhode Island Comprehensive Health Insurance Program" (RICHIP)) 02/10/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services 02/25/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

The State House continues to be closed to the public at this time.

This meeting will be streamed live online through Capitol TV http://www.rilegislature.gov/CapTV/Pages/default.aspx

TESTIMONY SUBMITTAL

Written testimony is encouraged and can be submitted to the committee by emailing it to: slegislation@rilegislature.gov

*Written Testimony must be submitted prior to 2:00 PM on Thursday, March 4, 2021, in order for it to be provided to the members of the committee at the hearing and to be included in the meeting records.

Members of the public can request to provide verbal testimony to the committee through the following link: **VERBAL TESTIMONY**

*Requests to provide verbal testimony must be submitted by 4:00 PM on Wednesday, March 3, 2021.

Ryan Duxbury Committee Clerk 222-2381 SLegislation@rilegislature.gov

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